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In re Application of)

Hong You WANG, et al.)

Serial No. 09/811,417)

Filed: March 20, 2001)

For: A ROTARY DRIVE DEVICE OF)
A POLISHING DEVICE)

Examiner: Willie Wendell Berry Jr.

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AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 19, 2002, please amend
the subject application as follows:

In the Abstract of the Disclosure:

Cancel the Abstract and substitute therefor the new Abstract attached
hereto on a separate sheet as required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.72.

In the Claims:

Cancel claim 1 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Replace claims 2 through 10 with amended claims 2 through 10 as
follows.

2. (Amended) A polishing device having a rotatable table connected to a
traction drive type reduction gear which gear comprises:

an externally contacting shaft formed in a ring-shaped hollow cylinder and
arranged at the center;

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